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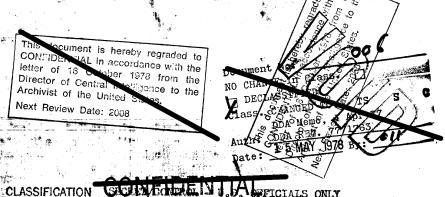
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The secretary of the Communist Party in Slovenia, Viktor Avbelj, is said to have failed to take part in the last sessions of the Central Committee. According to rumors circulating in Ljubljana, Avbelj has been deprived of his position and arrested because of his sympathy with the Cominform. It is rumored that two other leading Communists, Lovro Kuhar and Milan Lemez were also arrested.



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